



Dear New Second Grader,

Welcome to second grade! I hope that you are enjoying your summer vacation.

I hope that you will love second grade as much as I did when I was a kid! I am so glad you will be in my class and I can't wait to meet you.

We are going to learn a lot this year. We will be reading fiction and non-fiction books. We will be having Readers' and Writers' Workshop, too. In addition, we will learn about map skills, animal habitats, matter and we will even learn how to multiply and divide!

I am eager to hear about how you spent your summer! Please bring in a picture on the first day of school of something you did over the summer.

If you do not have a photo, please draw a picture. Please remember to also bring a healthy snack on the first day of school and each day thereafter.

You will also be asked to send in a photo of your family during the first few weeks of school for a special bulletin board I will be creating. Summer is a great time to take family photos.

Enjoy the rest of your summer and I will see you on the first day of school!

Love, Mrs. Patron

